



Docket No. 2713-1-018

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Balasubramanian *et al.* EXAMINER: B.J. Forman, Ph.D.
SERIAL NO. : 09/771,708 ART UNIT: 1634
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FOR : ARRAYED BIOMOLECULES AND THEIR USE IN SEQUENCING

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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. BOX 1450
Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request that the period for responding to the Office Action, now set to expire on September 11, 2003, be extended by two (2) months, so as to expire on November 11, 2003.

As Applicants are associated with a small entity, a check in the amount of \$210.00 is enclosed to cover the two-month extension herein requested. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any deficiencies or to credit any overages to Deposit Account No. 11-1153.

Favorable action on this Request for Extension of Time is courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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